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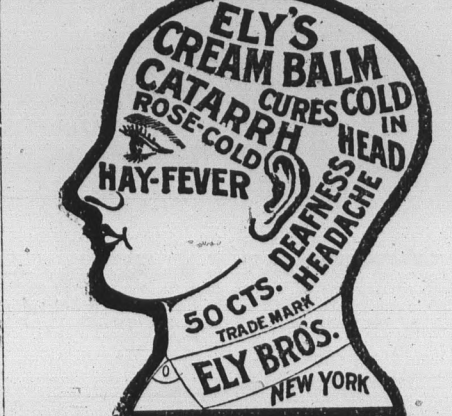
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THE POSSIBLE  
MAN

By KEITH GORDON

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Miss Van Orden halted and regarded the display in the windows of Berg & Co. with kindling eyes. There really was no excuse for her to linger at that particular window, for Berg & Co., as everybody knows, are haberdashers, and Miss Van Orden was fatherless, brotherless and unmarried.

"Talk about women's clothes," ran her thoughts as she reluctantly prepared to move onward. "Why, there isn't a window in town that compares with this for charm. Dresses—night gowns, tucks, plaits, French knots and fussiness! But this—it's a poem! Just imagine some big creature in that pink bathrobe of—"

With a silent laugh, she caught her lip between her teeth and moved down the street toward the dry goods shops. But the windows appeared cheap, overloaded and tawdry. Berg's store, with its display of masculine attire whose severity sometimes verged just near enough to softness and beauty to be fascinating, kept rising before her eyes, and almost automatically she retraced her steps in that direction.

By the time she again reached Berg & Co.'s she had an idea that made her giggle, though her eyes were bright and her cheeks went pink. Some girls, she reflected, hoarded china and silver, others linen and still others old mahogany against the day when "time and chance" should bring the man whom they all confidently expected. She would depart from such man-traveling ways and do something equally practical, though more unusual.

She entered the store rather timidly, but the sight of a portly dowager at one of the counters reassured her, and she was soon examining bathrobes with an ease and assurance that might have been acquired by years of shopping for masculine relatives.

"What size?" asked the clerk when, after much hesitation between a pink and a blue one, she had finally decided on the former.

At the question she stared at him in blank amazement. "That is, how tall is he?" he went on, judging from her look that she failed to understand. Then she recovered herself.

"Six feet," she answered, with a nonchalant, "I should have taken that for granted. And then, remembering her preference in the matter, she added, "And broad—very broad shouldered, you know," in a manner so deliberate and composed that without further question the clerk made out the check for "Mrs. E. Van Orden and solicitously begged her to look at their spring shirtings and the newest cravats.

"I don't think he needs anything in that line just now," she remarked, with well assumed doubtfulness, as she languidly viewed the stock.

"Do they—would my husband have to be measured for these shirts?" she demanded. The clerk nodded.

"But we'll send a man up any time," he explained, with a polite desire to be accommodating. The lady shook her head.

"You see, that wouldn't do. He isn't here—yet! But couldn't I give you his collar measure and couldn't you just make them proportionately?"

she called it. She had decided every detail—that on the pale gray one the monogram should be in dark red, or the tan in dark brown, etc.—when the clerk, who had seemed to know her and whom she guiltily permitted to address her as "Mrs. Van Orden," paused, pencil suspended above his order book, as if waiting for some further instructions. She regarded him in surprise.

"That's all," she said at last. "But Mr. Van Orden's initials—fought the monogram, you know," he prompted smilingly.

Eloise gasped. Never once had it occurred to her that in order to have that fascinating monogram on the left sleeve some initials would be required. The floor showed no disposition to open and swallow her up, and the clerk sat watching her as if he might tap his forehead significantly to his fellow clerks once her back was turned and slant his head sadly. What should she do? The possible man—

"Oh, T. P. M.," she hung out with hysterical relief as a thought occurred to her.

"T. P. M.," the clerk repeated, eying her reproachfully.

"Right—exactly—no for Mr. Van Orden," she observed firmly, giving him look for look.

Scarcely his scarppins were added to her collection without difficulty, but when it came to the purchase of a waistcoat that lured her with its dash and style the question of size again cropped up. By this time, however, the clerk had learned to think of her as the "eccentric Mrs. Van Orden" and was prepared for the vagueness of her orders.

Not even when she dreamily selected a pair of gray socks with dark red clocks, to match the gray shirt and demanded them of a size to match a No. 16 collar did he make any demur.

The time for leaving town had arrived, and the contents of the carved chest were carefully arranged for the last time and then locked up with the sweet scented bags of lavender.

Eloise sighed at the thought of leaving the things, for they had come to have a sort of personality of their own. They were beautiful in themselves, and, besides, the one who was to wear them, should they ever be worn, would be for her the king of the world.

She sometimes tried to picture him, but his face eluded her. Yet the face of her dream often bore a startling resemblance to Philip Hamilton, and that gentleman himself was becoming a more and more prominent fact in her life.

More than once she had surprised a strange, tense question in his eyes—a speculative look that made her happy, yet afraid. She half wished that he was not going to his cousin's for the summer, since that would place them in the same little colony for the next three weeks.

But in the weeks that followed, when riding, golf and moonlit evenings on the broad piazzas brought them constantly together, her feelings underwent a change, and she was appalled at the desolation she felt when he ran up to town for a few days, as he did now and then.

It was on one of these occasions that she found herself alone on the porch one evening, when a brisk step sounded on the gravel.

She rose as Philip Hamilton sprang up the steps and came toward her in the soft moonlight, the tumultuous joy that she supposed hidden in her heart shining in her eyes and dancing on her lips.

He looked down at her for one moment with eyes before whose mystery her own wavered and fell. Then, with a low, contented laugh, he drew her to him, whispering, "There are some things, my darling, that one does not need to ask."

THE FOOL'S VERDICT.

The Wise Judgment That Was Delivered by Simple Seign Jean.

Here is a story which has gone the rounds of three and a half centuries. It has been credited to many writers, but was first told by Rabelais:

In Paris at a roast meat cookery of the Petit Chatelet a certain hungry porter was eating his bread and at the same time sucking the neck and steam from a fat goose which was being turned on a spit before a great fire, thereby gaining savory accompaniment to his dry ration.

He ate very slowly that he might enjoy the roasting, smoking savor as long as possible, and when his penny loaf had been consumed he attempted to depart. But the cook was not of that mind. The master of the shop late told upon him by the cook, demanding pay for the smoke and steam of the roast goose. The porter demurred. The cook claimed that a portion of the meat had clearly been made from the savor sniffed up and swallowed.

It chanced while the discussion was going on that Seign Jean, the fool, entered the shop, and the matter was referred to him.

"Will you submit to the judgment of this good citizen?" asked the cook.

"Aye, by the blood of the goose, that I will," answered the porter.

The story was then told and the case argued. The fool listened attentively and in the end he asked the porter to let him take two pieces of his money. The poor man drew from his fob two pieces of copper. Seign Jean took them and jingled them while between his two hands and then gave them back whence he had received them. Then to the cook he said: "The porter did smell of thy goose, and thou hast heard the jingle of his money. Thou hast thy goose intact, he hath his money, as seemeth to me right and proper. And now this court doth decree further that every one go about his own business lest we have too many fools among us."

IRVING NO POLITICIAN.

Surprise of the Author at Receiving a Public Position.

President Andrew Jackson in 1829 appointed Washington Irving secretary of the American legation at London. This yielded a salary of \$2,500. Irving was at the Alhambra in Spain when "Colonel" Thomas Aspinwall, United States consul at London, sent him of official advice of his appointment. Irving replied in the following letter:

Alhambra, July 22, 1829.  
My Dear Colonel—I have just been surprised by tidings of my appointment as secretary of legation at London, an office as unexpected as unasked for by me as that of pope at Rome. It has been equally undesired by my friends. I confess I have felt great repugnance to enter into the business and bustle of the world and to lay myself under any restraint or responsibility.

An offer like this breaks in upon the quiet, retired literary life in which I have so long indulged. My brothers and my intimate friends, however, are unanimous in urging me to accept, and I have complied with their wishes. I shall disengage myself, therefore, as soon as possible from my occupations and engagements in Spain and push for London as rapidly as the hot weather will permit. I hope to eat an English beefsteak with you toward the end of August. You need not address any more letters to me in Spain after the receipt of this.

With kindest remembrance to Mrs. Aspinwall and the young folks, for whom I shall endeavor to bring some marvelous stories, I am, my dear Aspinwall, yours ever,  
WASHINGTON IRVING.

Martin Van Buren was secretary of state and signed Irving's commission. Probably he never would have been appointed secretary of the legation if it had not been for his older brother, John T. Irving, judge of the court of common pleas in New York city in 1829. Washington Irving a short time before his appointment as secretary of legation had received \$15,000 for his "Columbus." He immediately invested it in a steamboat enterprise and lost it. Judge Irving thought it might be a good thing if he had something in the shape of a regular income, and he used his influence to have him appointed secretary.—New York Tribune.

United States Evidence.  
Judge—You are charged with stealing chickens. Uncle Alek—Yes, boss dat's so. I did it. I can swear to dat. Jos what I did, mah. Judge—Ten dollars and thirty days. Uncle Alek—What's dat, boss? What kind of laws you got? When a feller turns United States evidence don't you let him go free? Neler an' in turn state's evidence as long as I lib. Now, you mind dat!—Tabard Inn News.

Woman's Way.  
"Jack sent me a handsome mirror for a birthday present."  
"That accounts for the funny question he asked me last night."  
"What did he ask you?"  
"If a woman ever got too old to be pleased with a looking glass."—Pittsburg Gazette.

Pointless View of It.  
Her Husband—I suppose a woman would have to be quite a philosopher to be indifferent to her appearance. She—She'd have to be a lunatic.—Brooklyn Life.

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Sonoma, Sonoma County, Cal., November 5, 1904.

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## Republicans, it is Your Duty to Vote for McKinlay.

If the Republicans of the Second District will stand by their party on Tuesday next and vote for Duncan E. McKinlay for Congress they will have a man in Washington who will be a staunch support to President Roosevelt and a valuable worker for this district.

The man who thinks he is doing right to vote for Roosevelt and not for McKinlay surely must not realize what he is doing. In the first place Congress is the all-important factor in our government. The President must be able to work in unison with it. If a Republican President has to contend with a Democratic Congress and if a Democratic President must contend with a Republican Congress there are bound to be hitches in our administrative machinery. Theodore Roosevelt will be our next President without a doubt and Republican voters will do an awful injustice to him if they cast their ballots for a Democratic Congressman. President Roosevelt expects that if the majority of the people believe in the principles of the Republican party and have been satisfied with his policy that they will give him the proper kind of support that he may continue to carry out that policy. Not only does President Roosevelt expect that the people will give him a Republican Congress but the country demands it.

There is little doubt but that most of the Congressional districts in California will send Republican Representatives to Washington at next Tuesday's election, but there seems to be some doubt about the Second District. It is classed as uncertain in political circles, yet it is Republican by majority. This intimates that there are Republicans who think they can be loyal and yet throw down Duncan McKinlay and vote for Theodore Bell.

If this campaign has a personal significance only, to some voters Duncan E. McKinlay, maligned as he is, is a man of most excellent qualities and attainments. Mr. McKinlay compares very well with the Democratic nominee personally and has the qualifications for the office he seeks in a very marked degree. He is a magnetic man, a gifted orator and one who would not fail to press the claims of his district in Congress.

The Democrats know that their principles will never appeal to a Republican so they must make their campaign one of personality. Mr. Bell makes no answer to the challenge extended to him by Mr. McKinlay to meet him in a joint discussion, so it is plain to be seen that he wishes to avoid the issues of the campaign. The whole thing would resolve itself down to personality if the Democrats had the say, and not content to take Mr. McKinlay as he is they make personal attacks upon his character and are trying to brand him as dishonorable in hopes that some voters will believe that Mr. McKinlay is really the McKinlay painted by the Democrats.

This scheme to do him up was well planned, for the personal attack savored of gossip and scandal and the wily Democratic managers knew it would sweep like wildfire over the district. They failed, however, to anticipate the result, and since the charges have been undeniably refuted they still cling to the hope that there may be a voter here and there who has not found that out.

Every Republican who wants to do what is right by himself, his President and his district should vote for Duncan E. McKinlay for Congress. He is the exponent and representative of the principles of the Republican party and if you would be loyal to those principles you must stand by him. He will be an active member in Congress and has got the personality that will make him a Congressman among Congressmen.

## A Note of Warning.

As the campaign is drawing to a close Republicans are cautioned to be on their guard for campaign roorbacks, lies, forgeries and false affidavits that may be promulgated during the next few days. The Republicans have conducted a clean, honest and fearless campaign free from personal attacks upon candidates of the opposition, relying solely upon the ability and manhood of the party nominees, from President Roosevelt down. Driven to desperation, realizing the hopelessness of their cause and without faith in the principles they pretend to espouse, our opponents may resort to unfair methods to mislead and prejudice the voters in some of the close Congressional districts. This is a campaign in which not only the Republicans but the lovers of their country, irrespective of party, should stand firm and resolute with California; should not only give support to Theodore Roosevelt, but should emphasize such action by electing all the Republican candidates for Congress, so that the interests of the State, diversified as they are, may be fully protected, and our section be in accord with the policies and aims of the national administration. Again we caution Republicans to be on their guard and do their full duty by their country, their State and their individual interests.

Geo. Stone, Chairman.

THERE is an amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of California to be voted on next Tuesday to exempt from taxation the property of the California Academy of Science in San Francisco. As the institution is a free museum, self-supporting and of great educational value to students and scientific investigators it seems to us that the amendment should carry.

VOTE for the San Francisco Seawall Act. It is an Act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to create a fund for the construction by the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of a seawall and appurtenances in the city of San Francisco.

### AIR BRAKES.

How They Are Made and How They Are Applied on Trains.

Every one has heard of the air brake, and references to it are sure to be made when the subject of protection against railroad accidents is under discussion, but like many inventions in common use it is more or less of a mystery for which an explanation is demanded from time to time.

The modern air brake consists of twelve parts, among which are the air pump, which compresses the air; a main reservoir, in which the air is stored; the engineer's brake valve, regulating the flow of air; the train pipe, which connects the brake valve with the triple valves under each car; the quick action triple valve, controlling the flow of air to and from the auxiliary reservoir, which is supplied from the main reservoir; and the brake cylinder piston rod, which is forced outward, thereby applying the brakes.

The theory of the air brake is the equalization of pressures. When the brakes are not in action the pressure on the train pipe is made such as to prevent an escape of air from the auxiliary reservoir. When the engineer desires to make an application of brakes he turns his brake valve so that there is a moderate reduction of the pressure in the train pipe. This causes the greater pressure in the auxiliary reservoir to force air into the brake cylinder, forcing the piston out and applying the brakes.

When it is desired to release the brakes the engineer turns his valve in the opposite direction, permitting the air to flow from the main reservoir, located on the engine, into the train pipe. When the pressure thus restored in the train pipe is increased above the pressure in the auxiliary reservoir certain valves are moved, communication is thereby restored between train pipe and auxiliary reservoir, the piston is forced to its normal position, the air escapes from the brake cylinder, and the auxiliary reservoir is recharged through the train pipe.

When the train breaks in two or a hose pipe connection is broken it has the effect of a sudden and material reduction of the pressure in the train pipe, the same as though the engineer had made an emergency application. The sudden reduction of pressure also opens supplementary valves, which increase the pressure upon the brake cylinder about 20 per cent. The brake shoes are attached to rods, which are in turn attached to the piston in such manner that when the piston in the auxiliary reservoir forces the latter out a pulling force is exerted upon the brakes.—Chicago Record-Herald.

### Rags and Paper.

The very best writing paper is made of rags, but even with the higher grades there is a certain percentage of wood pulp, and the product which comes of this combination is if anything superior in looks to the paper made wholly from rags. For bank note paper only clean new linen rags are acceptable. Nothing but linen will suffice, and the clippings from men's shirts form a considerable per cent of the raw material. A good deal, too, comes from Ireland, which can always be relied on to furnish the best linen in the world. When you reflect on the length of time a piece of paper money lasts and the immense amount of handling it gets it will be readily seen that no inferior elements can enter into its production.—Washington Post.

### Malay Peninsula Diet.

"Probably the most varied diet in the world," said a traveler who had just returned from the Malay peninsula, "is that of the Jakuns of the Sena, or Orang Lauts, who are the real Malay pirates. These people have about all that there is to eat, and they eat everything as it comes along. Although they have all kinds of fine fruits, at certain times of the year they eat a yam which is so poisonous that they have to grate it and mix it with slaked lime before they dare swallow it. In the way of flesh they eat monkeys, deer, wild pig, birds, fish, porcupines, lizards, squirrels, rats, mice and snakes. And they seem to turn from venison to rat or from wild pig to snake with equal appetite.

### An English Joke.

"What people are always sure of finding the biggest fish near their coast?" "Give it up." "The English, because they can always find Wales." "Oh, please! Wales isn't whales." "No, you stupid. But don't the English drop their h's?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### The Way With Servants.

Mrs. New—Yes, most of the servant girls are as independent and as impudent as they can be. Now, I believe it's best to take a young greenhorn and train her up in the way she should go and then—Mrs. Olden—First thing you know she goes.—Philadelphia Press.

### Punishment.

"Tommy," said his mother, who had him across her knee, "this hurts me worse than it does you." "I was afraid," said Tommy under his breath, "that hard board I put in the seat of my trousers might hurt her hand."—Chicago Journal.

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6:37 PM	Intermediate	7:20 PM
10:20 AM	Glen Ellen 6:18 AM	6:18 AM
11:47 AM	and 3:36 PM	
7:20 PM	Intermediate	6:37 PM
6:18 AM	Napa 6:18 AM	10:20 AM
3:36 PM	St. Helena 10:20 AM	10:20 AM
6:37 PM	Intermediate	7:20 PM
6:18 AM	Healdsburg 10:20 AM	10:20 AM
3:36 PM	Yuba City 7:20 PM	7:20 PM
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Thomas Baines, the real estate man, is doing a rushing business these days.

The first installment of city taxes will be delinquent on Monday, November 21st.  
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### Dr. Alf. McLaughlin Weds

The nuptials of Dr. Alfred N. McLaughlin and Miss Emma Moffat were solemnized at the home of the bride in San Francisco on Saturday evening last. The bride wore a wedding gown of white satin, beautifully embroidered. She carried a shower bouquet of Marie Louise violets and wore the customary veil. There were no attendants and only the relatives of the contracting parties were present. Rev. Bradford Leavitt officiated.

### Injured in Grape Crusher

Baptiste Anselme had the fingers of his right hand badly lacerated while working at the Gundlach-Bundschu winery Saturday. He caught his hand in the grape crusher and although the injury was painful he fed two boxes of grapes into the press before he realized the serious nature of his injuries. Henry Gundlach came to the rescue and temporarily dressing the injured hand brought Anselme into town for surgical treatment.

### Back From Old Virginia

Vernon Goodwin, who for the past six weeks has been sight-seeing at the St. Louis Exposition and visiting in Old Virginia, returned to Santa Rosa on Sunday. Mr. Goodwin's old home is in the south and his sister, Miss Bessie Goodwin, is now living there. He visited with her and many other relatives and had a delightful time.

### Pleads Not Guilty

J. Salome, charged with the murder of John Guidotti, has entered a plea of not guilty. The case was called in Department Two of the Superior Court last Wednesday and Salome's trial was set for November 17th. Berry & Cowan are representing the defendant.

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## THE CITY TRUSTEES DISCUSS TOWN HALL

### President Poppe Has Right Idea About the Edifice—Water, Light and Other Matters

The regular monthly meeting of the City Trustees was held on Wednesday night, a full Board being present. The minutes having been read and approved the following claims were allowed:

D. Valente, cleaning fire apparatus, 12 00  
J. H. Albertson, salary, 15 00  
E. H. Davis, removing fire hydrant, 5 50  
E. Allamano, curbing, 42 70  
M. Haraszthy, street work, 6 00  
H. Veit, street work, 2 00  
H. Muir, repairing culvert, 1 00  
Fred. Potts, gravel, 87 50  
Sonoma Valley Co., street lights, 28 24  
J. B. Small, salary, 25 00

The claim of the light company not being accompanied by an affidavit was held up until E. Clewe, the representative of the company, appeared and made a sworn statement. It was then decided to enter into a contract with the company for another month and the Clerk was instructed to do so on behalf of the Board.

There being no communications on file the matter of the New City Hall was taken up.

Trustee Breitenbach suggested several alterations to be made in the specifications as prepared by A. C. Lutgens, the architect, and maintained his preference for a slate roof over a tiled roof, as the plans and specifications call for.

Trustee Poppe was in favor of the Mission style of architecture for our New City Hall and expressed himself as satisfied with the thing.

The remainder of the Board, with the exception of Trustee Breitenbach, voiced the same sentiment.

President Poppe has the right idea in regard to the New City Hall. He realizes that the edifice will endure long after he and his successors go out of office, and expressed himself as favoring the best material and best workmanship possible even though it takes the city longer to complete it.

On Sunday architect Lutgens expects to meet with the Trustees and then and there decide to advertise for bids for the construction of the building in part.

Press R. Davis, appearing for the Sonoma City Water Company, offered to furnish the city an abundance of water for fire and sprinkling purposes at the rate of a dollar for each fire hydrant and 8 cents per thousand gallons for street sprinkling.

Trustee Breitenbach objected to this offer, maintaining that the water company was making too much money on its investment from the city alone and at that rate the municipality could do well by owning its own water works. He was not in favor of giving more than \$12 per month for the service offered by the water company.

Trustees Poppe, Pinelli, McDonnell and Hotz, realizing the importance of the matter, later made by the company at a cost of several thousand dollars to be of material benefit to the community at large, was in favor of paying \$15 per month for the service offered by Mr. Davis.

Mr. Davis then proposed to the service, to be paid monthly from October 1st to the 1st of July next.

Trustee Breitenbach then declared himself in favor of raising the assessment on those people who had fire protection.

A vigorous discussion followed, but no action was taken.

The meeting then adjourned.

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## GLEN ELLEN

By Chapple.

Mr. Bagani of the Shaw ranch has rented the Bell place.

Miss L. Trowbridge is in Oakland spending a week with friends.

N. S. Trowbridge made a business trip to Petaluma last Tuesday.

Frank Luttrell of San Francisco spent several days with relatives here.

Mrs. Haskell of "The Walt Heim" is visiting friends in Berkeley.

Miss Emily Kurtz and Mr. Ike Wright visited in Sonoma last Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Burris and Miss Eda Gillen of Sonoma spent Monday with their old-time friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weise.

Mrs. Robert Poppe and Miss Martha Wooster of Sonoma were Sunday guests at the Gordonker home.

Mrs. J. G. Cromwell went to Oakland Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of her friend Mrs. Weingardner.

Emmit Smith and George Cornish, both telegraph operators of the Southern Pacific Company, spent Saturday and Sunday with their relatives here.

Kong Kee, our industrious Chinese laundryman, who has been suffering much from the effects of a bad tooth, is up and around again washing "as white as snow."

Mrs. Wm. Hilton, formerly of this place but now living in Berkeley, who has been visiting friends in Glen Ellen and Kenwood the past ten days, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. J. Patterson, sister of Mrs. Wm. Sobbe and Mrs. Vandewater of this place, who is up here from San Francisco for the benefit of her health, we are glad to say is much improved.

Wm. Cozad, while hunting last Sunday accidentally shot himself in the foot. Although the wound is not considered dangerous it will lay him up for a week or two.

Dr. Crepin dressed the wound and his skillful care Mr. Cozad is getting along nicely.

CHAPPLE.

### Glen Ellen, Nov. 4, 1904.

### Delightful Card Party

Mrs. G. H. Hotz was the hostess of a delightful card party at her home on Broadway Tuesday evening. She entertained about twenty-five guests and "high five" was the game played. The players were Mesdames McMullin, Weems, Enos, Dorman, Nolan, Johnson, Lutgens, Bates and Hotz. Misses McDonnell, Pemberton and McGinnis and Messrs. Hotz, Estes, Johnson, Lewis, Nolan, Bates, W. Clewe, J. Gottenberg, R. Hotz, M. McGinnis, Coleman and H. Shaw.

Mrs. S. Enos carried off the ladies' first prize, a handsome lace handkerchief, and Will Clewe took the first gentlemen's prize, a card case with a pack of cards.

The booby prize was awarded to Claude Johnson, a pair of baby shoes with the suggestive inscription, "for or feet." The ladies' booby prize was awarded to Mrs. Henry Bates, a small drum with the inscription, "you can beat this," attached to it.

This was, perhaps, the most delightful evening at home given in Sonoma for some time. After the card games a delicious repast was served.

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Hallowe'en Festivities

The ladies of the M. E. Church gave a delightful social at Union Hall on Monday night in observance of Hallowe'en. The hall was lighted with Jack-o lanterns, whose faces shown out among greenery and on the walls were silhouettes of bugs and toads and other weird things.

There was an informal program to which Miss Marian Dewey contributed a song, Misses Laura Fossell and Pearl Bailey a duet, little Miss Minkie a recitation and Mrs. Roe a song.

Much merriment was afforded by the auctioning of several delicious pumpkin pies. Will Ashe was the bidder and succeeded in getting from fifty to seventy five cents a pie.

Miss Long gave prophetic messages to the young people and there were several spirited competitive games. In a pumpkin seed stringing contest Mrs. McMullin succeeded in getting the longest string in five minutes and was awarded a pumpkin pie as the prize.

Perhaps the jolliest feature of the evening was a ghost march in which

## EL VERANO.

By Happy Hooligan.

Leo Baines visited Sonoma Wednesday.

Felice Clerici was a visitor to Santa Rosa Monday.

Miss Mary Chance visited Glen Ellen friends Saturday.

Mrs. C. T. Wilkinson was up from Berkeley last Sunday.

Park Donahue and George Bruns visited Schellville Sunday.

Mrs. J. Oliver of Marin county is a guest at the Lewis ranch.

Henry Serres of San Francisco visited his folks in this place Sunday and Monday.

Hugh Chancer, after spending a few days here, returned to San Francisco last Sunday.

L. Quartaroli of Sonoma was a passenger on the Southern Pacific last Monday en route to the county seat.

Wm. Wyatt, who is now employed by a livery firm in Santa Rosa, visited his folks here Wednesday.

Frank Weaver returned from the metropolis Wednesday, where he had been sizing up the political situation.

Jack Kearney and Roadoverseer Graham attended the Democratic meeting in Glen Ellen last Saturday night.

R. J. Bancroft, who formerly was the owner of the "Pioneer Grove" ranch, was a San Francisco visitor here Thursday.

Tony Graham, El Verano's popular roadoverseer, attended the meeting at Pennegrove on Thursday last week.

Ralph East, the well known sign painter of this place, took in the Gans-Britt fight in San Francisco Monday night. He reports Britt the coming champion.

A large crowd from here took in the Democratic meeting in Sonoma Thursday to whom "em up for Blair Hart, the popular candidate for Supervisor, who unfortunately was unable to attend the meeting owing to the death of a relative."

Several new buildings will be built in our town in the near future. In fact, some of these improvements will be commenced as soon as carpenters can be secured and our town is in a fair way to be booming in the good old winter time.

El Verano is the town of politicians this election. It has really been laughable to hear some of these would-be local political leaders boasting their man for office. Their talk is being wasted as they have no political influence here at all. "Hooligan" would advise some of these local political bosses to run for office just to convince them how they would get it in the back of the neck.

Sam Gimmerson of Napa, while driving along the road between this place and Glen Ellen, last Tuesday, was thrown out of his rig in front of the Chauvet winery and was badly hurt about the head and back. The accident was caused by the horse he was driving becoming frightened and running away. The animal ran as far as El Verano, where it was caught by J. Albert Dutil at the risk of his life, who was handsomely rewarded by the owner of the turnout. Mr. Gimmerson arrived in town shortly after the accident and continued on his way to Napa, where his injuries were subsequently attended to by a surgeon.

HAPPY HOOLIGAN.  
El Verano, Nov. 4, 1904.

On the conclusion of Mr. Dunbar's remarks the band played and then Chairman Duhring introduced Hon. Thos. J. Geary.

In his customary way Mr. Geary opened his address with a pleasing non-partisan introductory and gradually led up to his subject proper—the campaign of 1904. He declared with even more emphasis than Dunbar that the mass of creative legislation had its origin outside of politics, but HE TOO FAILED TO ANSWER WHY THE DEMOCRATS WANT DEMOCRACY REPRESENTED IN CONGRESS IF POLITICS PLAY NO PART IN WASHINGTON.

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Mr. Geary should realize that the people concede that that is good which is of the greatest good to the greatest number and that in lieu of this Mr. McKinlay, if acting for the majority, could not do other than right.

The speaker then took up the matter of tariff, declaring for a reduction, and then condemned the extravagance of the administration, the Philippine policy, etc.

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## DEMOCRATS HAVE THEIR LAST RALLY

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The Democrats had a rally here Thursday night and a crowd of Republicans and Democrats turned out to hear the oratory of that skilled master of forensics, Thos. J. Geary of Santa Rosa, who was the leading speaker of the evening, and was accompanied by Chas. O. Dunbar, candidate for the Assembly.

The El Verano Democratic Club, headed by A. W. Weaver, who carried a large transparency, was in evidence; and the ringing of bells and the firing of anvils told that the Democrats were not lacking in enthusiasm.

Fred. T. Duhring was chairman of the meeting and in his introductory speech dwelt on the importance of the issues of the campaign, particularly national expenditures and our colonial policy in the Philippines.

Blair Hart, Democratic nominee for Supervisor, was unavoidably detained from attending the meeting on account of the death of a relative.

Mr. Duhring bespoke for him however, a big vote and the backing of Sonoma Valley. He then introduced Chas. O. Dunbar, candidate for the Assembly, who extended his thanks to the people of this district for past favors and asked that they re-elect him. Charlie was there with his record and another one in view. He dwelt with characteristic Democratic force on that very implausible statement in Sacramento or Washington and that Assemblymen and Congressmen were all Americans and not Democrats and Republicans when they met in legislative and congressional halls. Mr. Dunbar, as do all the Democratic exponents of this idea FAILED TO MAKE PLAIN WHY THERE IS SUCH A PLAY BEING MADE TO GET DEMOCRATS IN THE LEGISLATURE AND CONGRESS IF PARTY LINES ARE NOT DRAWN THERE. It must be conceded that if our representatives are all Americans when they reach Sacramento and Washington that the Republican party can furnish plenty of them. So it should seem that the Democrats ought not to worry as they do.

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## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL MATTERS.

Miss Hattie Gaines is here from San Francisco.

Miss Isabel Rainey visited San Francisco Saturday.

Walter Murphy spent Saturday and Sunday in San Francisco.

Miss Ethel Hunter returned from San Francisco Monday evening.

Miss Eva Church, who has been visiting in the city, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Campbell spent Sunday and Monday in San Francisco.

Mrs. Batchelor and children took Saturday morning's train for San Francisco.

Miss Sadie Agnew of Petaluma attended the mask ball in that city Saturday evening.

Chas. Bundschu came up from the metropolis Monday morning for a brief sojourn on Rhinefarm.

Mrs. E. Cutter took her son, Master Cutter, to San Francisco last Saturday for medical treatment. He is suffering from a polypus in the nose.

Mrs. Pauline McMullin spent Sunday in San Francisco returning in the evening accompanied by her sister Mrs. Clarence Nauman and infant daughter.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Robt. Poppe next Tuesday. All members are requested to be present.

United States bonded warehouse keeper W. W. Skaggs has returned to Santa Rosa. During his sojourn in this place Mrs. Skaggs visited relatives in Santa Cruz.

Besides the fun of seeing the old-time "Deestrick Skule" at Union Hall, November 18th, you can buy all sorts of useful and fancy articles, ice cream and candy.

Mrs. G. H. Hotz and Mrs. Robt. Hill went to Palo Alto yesterday as delegates to the district meeting of the State Federation of Woman's Clubs. While away they will also be entertained by Mrs. Osborne at Santa Clara.

Miss Katie McDonnell visited San Clemente and San Francisco from Friday of last week to the following Monday. While in the latter place she witnessed Dante's "Inferno," which has been successfully dramatized at St. Ignatius College.

J. R. Stonier, Jr., has assumed the formanship of the Robt. Hall ranch. Joseph Revie, who has been Mr. Hall's foreman for many years, has taken possession of his ranch, the old C. C. Carriger place, where he will reside with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, late of New York city, have purchased a small farm on the Petaluma road and will take up their residence here. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, prior to getting settled in their new country home, are guests at Mrs. Goodman's on Broadway.

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## Schellville.

By Alphonse and Gaston

J. Maffei was in San Francisco Wednesday.

Mrs. J. P. Hauto and family visited Sonoma Wednesday.

Mrs. Abramo Marcucci and Miss Jennie Marcucci of Embarcadero were in town Tuesday.

Miss Alma Hauto, after a short visit with her Embarcadero relatives, has returned to Sonoma.

Duck-shooting in the marshes has afforded hunters little sport since the opening of the season. The birds are scarce and will continue so until a big storm sets in and forces them to seek shelter in the tules.

The turkey raffle and shooting at Marcucci's Hotel on Sunday, November 20th, will give everybody a chance to get something choice for their Thanksgiving dinner. In addition to turkeys there will be chickens, ducks and geese raffled off. Anton Kiser will conduct the affair.

A twenty-two ton steam plow is at work on the Pacific Reclamation Company's ranch at McGill's station which plows a furrow twenty feet wide. The plow, which was shipped from Stockton, is being used for the first time on the ranch as an experiment, will be used hereafter by Mr. Keechler, the Superintendent, if found to work satisfactorily in our reclaimed tule lands.

ALPHONSE AND GASTON.  
Schellville, Nov. 4, 1904.

### Card of Thanks.

We hereby extend our sincere thanks to Miss Leonora Quartaroli for her excellent work as accompanist at the Catholic Fair Minstrels. We fully appreciate the fact that to this young lady the musical success of the show was largely due.

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JAS. SMALL.

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